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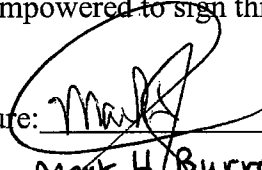
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Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

  
Jo-Wen Lin

Date: 12/23/2002

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Before me this 23 day of Dec, 2002, personally appeared the above named individual(s), to me known to be the person(s) who are described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

  
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